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Docket No. 1232-5119

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Junichi MURAKAMI

Group Art Unit: 2851

Serial No.: 10/649,965

Examiner: William B. Perkey

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For: CAMERA, LENS APPARATUS, AND CAMERA SYSTEM

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

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Sir:

This paper responds to the Office Action issued on June 22, 2004 for the above-referenced case. Because this response has been filed within the three-month period for response set forth by the office action, no additional fees are believed to be necessary. However, in the event that a Petition for an Extension of Time and fee are required to render this paper timely, such Petition is hereby made, and the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. 1232-5119 for the extension-of-time fee or any other fee that may be necessary for the entry of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.

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